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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Watterson et al.

Serial No.:

09/641,627

Filed:

August 18, 2000

For:

SYSTEM FOR INTERACTION WITH
EXERCISE DEVICE

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} 3764

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

Washington, DC 20231

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed October 12, 2000, please find enclosed herewith the following items for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application:

- ☒ A joint signature Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition executed by Scott R. Watterson, William T. Dalebout and Darren C. Ashby and comprising 3 (three) pages.
- ☒ An Assignment conveying the invention to Icon Health and Fitness, Inc., including a Form PTO-1595 recordation cover sheet comprising 6 (six) pages.
- ☒ A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted.
- ☒ Priority to United States Patent Application Serial Nos. 09/349,608 filed on July 8, 1999 and 09/496,560 filed February 2, 2000 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 120.

- ☐ Priority to _____ (country) Application Serial No. 09/641,627 filed on August 18, 2000 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
- ☐ A certified copy of the above priority application is filed in prior application Serial No.09/641,627, filed August 18, 2000.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below.

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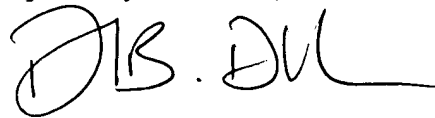
- ☒ Check No. 118915 in the amount of \$2,192.00 is enclosed to cover.
- ☒ The \$2,022.00 government filing fee.
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- ☒ The \$ 130.00 surcharge fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e).
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-3178.
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- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.
- ☐ The issue fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.311(b).

- ☒ A Certificate of Express Mailing by use of Express Mail Label No. EL 661 549 217 US
- ☐ An Associate Power of Attorney.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this letter.

Please address all future correspondence in connection with the above-identified patent application to the attention of the undersigned.

Dated this 11th day of December, 2000.

Respectfully submitted,



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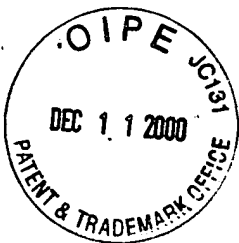


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- Declaration, Power of Attorney and Petition (3 (three) pp.)
- An Assignment (6 (six) pp.)
- A copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted
- Transmittal Letter (3 pages)
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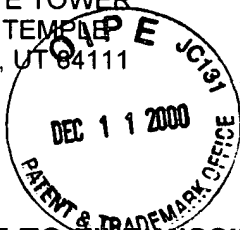
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RESPONSE DUE 12-17-00

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1604

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 - \$1188 for 66 total claims over 20.
 - \$156 for 2 independent claims over 3.
 - \$260 for multiple dependent claim surcharge.
- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 2424.

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